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- 2. I have read and understand the specification and claims of the above-named patent publication.
- 3. I am listed as a co-author, along with five other authors on the following publication:

Anna U. Bielinska, Ann Yen, Huai Liang Wu, Kathleen M. Zahos, Rong Sun, Norman D. Weiner, James R. Baker Jr., Blake Roessler "Application of membrane-bound dendrimer/DNA (2000)complexes for solid phase transfection in vitro and in vivo." Biomaterials 21, pages 877-887.

4. I confirm that, with respect to the reference listed in paragraph 3, that Anna U. Bielinska, Blake J. Roessler, and James R. Baker are the only listed authors who contributed to the inventive process relating to the above named invention.

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